

Agricultural Marketing Service 1400 Independence Ave Washington, DC 20250-0256

Poultry Programs

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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 17, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-295

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Tuesday, Jan. 17(due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Jan. 20. Deliveries are to be made from Mar. 1 to Mar. 15.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?</a>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-295, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated May 2005, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <a href="http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp">http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp</a>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-295, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

<u>Bulk Pack (233390)</u> - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, non-basted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated May 2005. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen fully cooked smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and nor more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295 INVITATION : 017

COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM NO	DESTINAT CITY	TION ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIV	ERY PERIOD	03/01/06	6 - 03/15/0	5
001 7	WYOMING	МТ	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	720,000
003 7	WAELDER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
004	TURLOCK	CA	TRUCK ONLY	72,000 *
TOTAL	864,000			

COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	I ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 03/	01/0	6 - 03/15/0	)6
005	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
007	HAUPPAUGE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
800	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
009	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
010	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
011	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
012	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
013	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	28,859
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	11,141
014	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
015	FORT WAYNE	IN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
016	LOGANSPORT	IN		80,000
017	ELMIRA	MΙ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
018	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
019	SHREVEPORT	LA	TRUCK ONLY	27,822
	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	12,178
020	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
021	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
022	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
023	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
TOTA	920,000			

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COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ

PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELI.	VERY PERIOD 03/	01/0	6 - 03/15/06	
024	ROCKY HILL	СТ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
025	LINCOLN	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
026	LAUREL	MD	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
027	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	9,800
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	30,200
028	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	200,000
029	ROCK ISLAND	$_{ m IL}$	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
030	ELMIRA	MΙ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
031	AMARILLO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	4,960
	EARLY	TX	TRUCK ONLY	5,480
	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	29,560
032	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
033	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	160,000
034	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	120,000
035	GARDENA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
036	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR C	ОММО	DITY TYPE	880,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 2,664,000

\*NO TOLERANCE - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

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